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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1965

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LIVING NATIVITY SCENE TO BE PRESENTED SUNDAY ON COMMON

Bethel's second annual "Living Nativity Scene" will be enacted on the Bethel Common this Sunday at 4:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. Visitors from all surrounding areas are invited to attend and share this experience. Bethel people are duly proud of their outstanding contribution to the Christmas season, in which all Bethel churches participate.

Last year's televised pageant will be shown over WMTW's "Talent Spotlight" Christmas show on Sunday evening. This year's pageant will again be filmed, possibly for showing on Christmas Eve.

Guiding stars have been placed on all roads leading into Bethel to direct townspeople and visitors to the "manger." Crescent Park School children, under the supervision of Miss Helen Varner, have been responsible for making and erecting these stars.

Church bells will chime throughout the town ten minutes before each pageant portrayal, and then Christmas hymns will be heard as the crowds gather. Teams of bell ringers include, Bradley Fiske, Gregory Bryant, John Trimmer, Jack Chapman, Thomas Coolidge, James Haskell, Warren Tibbette, Brian Buck, Chris Murphy, Dean Murphy, Ronald Jackson and Bruce Smith.

The thirty minute pageant scene is done in pantomime with the beautiful Christmas story told with a background commentary by Michael Chretien, and appropriate Christmas hymns. The area will be aglow with lights; and participants, artfully costumed, will give an inspiring presentation. At the completion of each scene, all viewers will be invited to join in the singing of the final hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful."

Participants in the pageant will be Susanne Kneeland, Clinton Jenkins, Cynthia Fiske, Lawrence Davis, Roland Glines, James Fiske, Alan Curtis, Daniel Vogt, Daniel Favreau, Robert Tift Jr., John Gauthier, Douglas Farrar, John Thurston, Peter Bailey, Stephen Hastings, Jeffrey Brown, Phillip Rolfe, Daniel Davis, Mark Walker, Allan Walker, Roger Dock, James Perkins, Claire Batchelder, Kerry Smith, Larry Smith, Robert Judkins, and Roger Jackson.

Mrs. Charles Farrar, general chairman and coordinator, announces that a final rehearsal is scheduled for all participants on Saturday, at 5:00 p. m., on the Bethel Common.

After the pageant, Mrs. George Taylor will once again place her life-sized hand painted nativity figures in the stable for the remainder of the Christmas season.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley of South Portland were callers Sunday at H. S. Stanley's.

Leslie Lapham returned home Tuesday after being a patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.



LOCALS

Forrest Merrill is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Guy Parker Jr. is expected to return home Friday from the Veteran's Hospital, Togus.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greenleaf attended the testimonial dinner for Lt. Col. Lowell Henley at South Paris, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harmon and children, Arlene and Darrel, of Livermore, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Helen Varner.

Carol Flint of Thomas College, Waterville, and Linda Paine of Vermont College, Montpelier, Vt., are spending the Christmas vacation at their homes.

The monthly meeting of the WSCB will be Thursday evening, Dec. 16, at 7:30 at the Methodist Church Annex. Mrs. Richard Littlefield will present a Christmas program.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robertson, Ned and David are leaving Friday for a visit with Dr. O'Neill Robertson and family in Pittsburgh, Penna., and relatives in New Mexico.

Mrs. Sadie Brooks spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Eames. She is leaving this week end to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Meserve, in Upland, Mass.

The Young Mothers Group met Monday, Dec. 13, at the church for their final meeting under the sponsorship of Circle 1 of the Congregational Women's Fellowship. It was agreed to continue the meetings for awhile until it was decided whether or not the group wishes to form a circle of their own. The next meeting will be Jan. 12 at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Ralph Ryder.



Take Part in P. T. A. Entertainment. Forenoon evening pageants of grades 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7 far mished entertainment at the P. T. A. meeting. Three of the participants are pictured above. Deborah Buck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buck gave a reading of "The Night Before Christmas." Vermon Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Davis was Santa Claus, and on the right is Barbara Jean York, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George York, who danced.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

I received a copy of a notice of a public hearing in regard to the reconstruction and/or relocation of a portion of U. S. Route 2 in the town of Bethel. This meeting will be held in Odeon Hall, Thursday, Dec. 30 at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be conducted by David H. Stevens, chairman, Maine State Highway Commission. There is a legal requirement that the meeting be held but the real purpose of the meeting is to inform interested citizens about the project. I believe a legal notice of the hearing will be in this paper for this week and next week. The people who will be directly affected by the project will be vitally interested in the meeting and I believe that other citizens will want to know about the project.

The winter payrolls are up a lot over the same period for last year but the plowing payrolls vary according to the amount of snow that falls. There was a sizeable balance in the winter roads account so the extra costs will not cause an overblat in the account.

The tree company has about finished cutting down the diseased elm trees. The work has been completed with speed but not to a point of endangering or damaging private property. There have been a couple of problems that were encountered but I think they did a very commendable job. The highway crew has been kept extremely busy with the ordinary winter work and hauling off the elm waste. It is now time to start preparing a program for next summer to replace the removed trees. Of course it will be many years before the trees that are planted next summer reach a useful size.

Michael Houlahan

Mrs. Guy Butler underwent surgery on Tuesday. Her address is Tufts-New England Medical Center, 171 Harrison Ave., Boston, Mass.

DOG LICENSES DUE JANUARY 1

Several changes in Maine's dog licensing procedure will become effective in 1966, as the result of action by the 102nd Legislature, reports Samuel F. Dorrance, assistant director, Division of Animal Husbandry, State Department of Agriculture.

Dog licensing will now be on a calendar year basis, instead of on a year beginning April 1. The two-months grace period, previously April 1 to June 1, will be increased to three months, or January 1 to April 1, when all dogs four months old or older must be licensed.

Mr. Dorrance said that, changing the licensing period makes more sense, as calendar or fiscal years are ordinarily used in such matters.

Fees this year will be \$1.50 for males and spayed females; \$5.50 for females; \$10.50 for kennel license up to 10 dogs; and \$20.50 for more than that amount.

A total of 103,330 new star-shaped tags have been mailed to 494 municipalities and 20 unorganized townships will be supplied, Dorrance indicated. He also said the Agriculture Commissioner has authority to appoint recorders in the more populated unorganized townships.

Maine dogs are licensed alphabetically and numerically by municipalities. Mr. Dorrance reported, saying his division has located the owners of many lost dogs, utilizing a pamphlet of dog license numbers, kennels included, alphabetically, by municipalities. These are mailed to boarding shelters, humane societies, municipal clerks and game wardens, he said.

CARL MERRILL RESIGNS WELLS HIGH POST

Resignation of one of Maine's better known young track coaches, Carl Merrill of Wells High School, has been announced. Merrill, who had been head coach of track and cross country at Wells since 1960, is resigning to enter private business with a Portland concern.

A graduate of South Paris high school, and a former student at Gould Academy, Mr. Merrill went to Wells after his graduation from Gorham State Teachers College.

He is married to the former Barbara Jodrey of Bethel and the father of three children.

Outgrown your skates, ski boots and skis? Contact Mrs. Robert Keniston for swaps, advice.

Wednesday Fire Makes 8 Homeless.



Two families were temporarily left homeless late Wednesday afternoon, when flames spread quickly through a two-apartment dwelling owned by Mrs. Clyde Brooks on the Middle Intervale Road.

Bethel Fire Chief Roderick McMillin said the Rodney Hanson family residing on the second floor of the structure were forced to flee the dwelling with only the clothes they were wearing. Mrs. Brooks, and her grandson, Norton Brooks, son of Maurer Brooks, also escaped from the first floor apartment.

The fire, of undetermined cause, originated in the upstairs apartment at about 5:30 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, their three boys, aged 16, 12 and six.

HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY "ICE BALLS" DANGEROUS

A state health official said Monday that sealed plastic "ice balls" sold all over Maine as drink coolers are dangerous and should be destroyed or returned to stores unused. Dr. Charles H. Oakley of the State Health and Welfare Department said tests had been made of the foreign made novelty items and these were "definitely contaminated" found in the water contained in the items. These gadgets have been sold by organizations and at plastic parties in many areas. However these items were obtained, get rid of them. They could cause disease if punctured or if they leaked.

SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY OPENS FRIDAY

Lower Sunday Punch, Rocking Chair and the Mixing Bowl Novice Slopes of the Sunday River Skiway will be open for daily operation starting Friday, Dec. 17. There is one foot of snow at the base of the mountain.

As fire-fighters battle stubborn Wednesday blaze.

and a daughter, aged 10, fled the apartment. They were unable to save any of their possessions because of the fast-spreading flames. Some wrapped Christmas gifts were saved.

A pumper and two tank trucks were dispatched to the scene and extinguished the blaze before there was much fire damage to the downstairs section.

Water was pumped from a pond on the property of Richard Davis, three-tenths of a mile away.

Firemen were able to quell the fire only after the upstairs apartment had been badly gutted. Water damage to Mrs. Brooks' apartment was reported.

Volunteers helped clear the downstairs apartment of furniture and few possessions were lost.

No estimate of damage was available. Chief McMillin said Mrs. Brooks carried insurance on the building but it was understood that the Hansons had no insurance.

The Davis mill crew and the E. G. Blake crew, neighbors and friends, are standing by to start repairs on the gutted structure as soon as insurance adjusters have made a survey of the property.

Mrs. Clyde Brooks is with her son, Kenneth Brooks and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson and family are at Mrs. Hanson's sister's. Mr. and Mrs. Lynnwood Wheeler, Norton Brooks, who made his home with his grandmother, Mrs. Clyde Brooks, is with his father, Maurer Brooks and family.

Chief McMillin reported that donations of clothing would be accepted for the Hansons.

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EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Cor. —
Miss Dorothy Bartlett and Miss Joyce Huff of Boston were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis and Mrs. Carroll Curtis were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Seidner and Mrs. Carroll Curtis were in Bethel, Wednesday.

Mrs. Marcel Clements and children, Ginny and Gary, of Andover, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Jr.

The Cub Scouts will hold the last meeting of this year at the home of their Den Mother, Mrs. Janice Smith, on Thursday, Dec. 16.

Little Miss Velora Kimball was christened Sunday at the Locke Mills church.

Mrs. Florence Hastings attended a meeting of the Extension Service at South Paris Tuesday, Dec. 14.

Robert Parker of Norway and Cecil Reynolds of West Paris were week end visitors of Lewis Smith, Jr.

Miss Eleanor Billings and Lewis Smith, Jr., visited Mr.

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED
RECONSTRUCTION
AND/OR RELOCATION
U. S. ROUTE 2
IN THE TOWN OF
BETHEL - OXFORD COUNTY
FEDERAL AID PROJECT
F-025-1118**

The State Highway Commission is planning the reconstruction and/or relocation of a portion of U. S. Route 2 (State Highway 25) in the Town of Bethel, beginning about 832 feet south from the junction of Route 2 and U. S. 1 and extending northward about 1.5 miles. It includes construction of a new bridge over the Androscoggin River.

In accordance with U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Public Roads, Policy and Procedure Memorandum 10-8111, dated June 16, 1965, subject, "Public Hearings, Federal Aid Projects", the State Highway Commission hereby gives notice that a public hearing will be held in the Orono Hall on Main Street in Bethel on Thursday, December 16, 1965, at 7:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time in regard to the proposed reconstruction and/or relocation of a portion of U. S. Route 2 (State Highway 25) in Bethel.

Maine State Highway Commission
By David H. Stevens, Chairman
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UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Cor. —
Miss Judy Jenkins was home from Hiram Sunday.

Dr. Barnes of Hiram went ice fishing Sunday.

Mrs. Arline Bernier and family were home from Hiram over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mitchell of Sebago recently spent a week end at their camp on Back Street.

Richard Williamson is working in Andover.

Reuben Bernier hauled wood with his tractor for Millard Fraser a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jenkins attended the Senior Citizens meeting at Bethel Tuesday of this week.

and Mrs. Neil Gross in Jefferson, N. H., Sunday. Teddy Colby who has been visiting there the past three weeks returned home with them.

Val Robinson and Ross Robinson of Livermore were Sunday visitors of Victor Robinson.

Miss Geneva Kimball underwent an emergency appendectomy at the Central Maine General Hospital at Lewiston Monday night.

Mrs. Irma Stewart, R. N., and Mrs. Edna Cloutier of Livermore Falls were visitors of Mrs. Ada Tanner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon P. Linder and sons, took a trip to New Hampshire and visited the Globe Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Bean, Peter and Pamela Bean, were in Lewiston Saturday.

Penny Bean celebrated her second birthday with a family party at her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball, Mrs. Laurence Crockett, Mrs. Esther Crockett and Kenneth Crockett were in Bethel Saturday.

Mrs. Chester Kimball was in Lewiston Saturday to get Miss Geneva Kimball who is training at the Central Maine General Hospital.

Herman Cummings of Locke Mills is a boarder at the Des Roches boarding home.

Mrs. Bruce Boyce, Mrs. Philip Daftochka and Mrs. Helen Fuller were in Bethel one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Fortin and Mrs. Rose Perry of Haverhill were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Daftochka.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tardiff and family of Livermore were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes were in Bowley, Mass., Sunday to attend the funeral of William C. Dunn.

FELT NEW MANAGER
STATE PRISON FARM

Robert C. Felt

The Maine State Prison at Thomaston has announced recently that Robert C. Felt has been appointed as Farm Superintendent to succeed Leigh Plabsted, who retired from State service.

Superintendent Felt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Felt, is a graduate of Gould Academy and the University of Maine, and for the past year and a half has been assistant superintendent at the Prison's farm in South Warren.

He is married to the former Rosemarie Flanagan of Rockland.

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER
AND VICINITY

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corrae, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAllister and children of Union, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney McAllister of Bethel were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tarr of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. George Paor of Oxford were recent callers of Mrs. Olive Spinney.

Mrs. Sarah Andrews was a Saturday supper guest of Mrs. Lois Morrill of Auburn.

Recent callers at Harlan Bumpus' were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Twitchell and Elmer Briggs of South Paris; "Skip" Westleigh of Denmark; the Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Stevens of Watford; 35-year-old Edwin Bumpus of New Sharon; Carlton Bagg; Eric Storer; Mrs. Pat Buck and children, Cindy and Carroll, of East Stoneham, and Mrs. Rachel Hutchison of North Watford.

Mrs. Olive Spinney visited Mrs. Mildred Allen at the nursing home in Bridgton one afternoon last week.

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BRYANT POND

— Kathleen McAllister, Cor. —

Election of officers was held at the meeting of Evergreen Temple Pythian Sisters last Thursday evening. The officers elected as follows: M.E.C., Evelyn Bean; E.S., Mildred Westcott; Sec., Kathleen McAllister; Treasurer, Ruby Hathaway; Protector, Reta Abbott; Guard, Dora Ford; Trustee for three years, Mildred Westcott; Installing Officer, Evelyn Bean; Grand Representative, Hazel Brooks; Alternate, Mildred Westcott. Installation will be January 13.

Mrs. Charlotte Strout and William Seames are captains for a vacation basketball game for Woodstock High School alumni to be played Saturday evening, Dec. 18, at 7:30 in the gymnasium. Those wishing to play should contact one of the captains.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemmingsway will be the honor guests at an open house to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday, Dec. 19, from 2 to 5, at the Universalist Church. Plans are being made by Dr. and Mrs. Harold Abbott, Farmington, and Herschel Abbott, Leverett, Mass. Mrs. Harry Poland and Mrs. Leslie Abbott will preside at the money tree.

A reception will be held Friday evening, January 14th for District Deputy Grand Matron Gertrude Andrews of the Grand Chapter of Maine, O. E. S., at the Town Hall Dining Room.

Worthy Matron Gertrude Gaugler of Jefferson Chapter has appointed the following Planning Committee: Eva B. Twitchell, Addelynn Mann, Juanita Allen, Sylvia Jenkins and Gertrude Gaugler. Refreshments, Barbara Hathaway, Hazel Newell, Elsie Bennett, Joyce Hathaway, Hazel Andrews, Sylvia Clark, Jean Jenkins, Ruth Tyler, Gift Table.

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SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Cor. —

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Members of the Universalist Junior and Teenage Choirs will meet at the church Friday afternoon for rehearsal for the Christmas service Sunday morning, Saturday afternoon at 1 all members of the Church School will meet for a full rehearsal including the pageant to be presented Sunday morning at 9. A short pageant will be presented by members of the Church School. Following the service a Christmas party with exchange of gifts, a tree and Santa will be held in the vestry.

of date from Dec. 19 to Dec. 18, at 2 P. M. This change is necessary because of two programs at Bethel the children wish to attend. The program is as follows: Open, Lord's Prayer, All; Hymn, It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, All; Merry Christmas, Marshall Fleet and group response; Let's Draw, Elden Yates; Stockings, Edwick Yates; Little Star, Alan Fleet; Could Be, Bradley Harrington; Hymn, O Little Town of Bethlehem, All; My Christmas Tree, Peggy Morin; Table Grace for Three, Jeffrey Fleet; Elden Yates, Peggy Morin; I'd Like to Know, Darina Yates; The Birthday Party, Jeffrey Fleet; My Christmas Card, Jean Morin; When Christmas Came, Peggy Harrington; Silent Night, Holy Night, All. Yearly Report, Mrs. Fleet; Tree and refreshments; Good bye song, All.

Joe Willett of Rumford and friend were in town Sunday.

Roy Bennett was over and got a load of sand.

Thomas G. Powell, Missionary for Central Maine, RFD 2, North Vassalboro, called at R. Fleet's Friday to see if the Sunday school needed any help.

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— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

The people of this community were saddened on Sunday when they learned of the death on Saturday night of Elbert Briggs, one of the town's oldest citizens. Our sympathy to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris and Frankie, Mrs. June Blankenship and Donna, were in Lewiston Saturday shopping and visited their daughters, Mary and Margaret Burris.

Mrs. June Blankenship and Donna came Friday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris, over the week end. Mrs. Blankenship returned to Boston Sunday night. Donna remained for a two week visit. She will visit her aunt and family, the William Dicksons, at Bethel, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris.

Mrs. Mabel Durkee spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Myrtle Emery. She was also a supper guest of Mrs. Emery and Joseph Emery.

Mrs. Myrtle Emery and Joseph Perry were supper guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watts, Saturday night at Waterford. Mr. and Mrs. Watts, Mrs. Emery and Mr. Perry, were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Becky Staples of Albany, N. Y., granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merrill, is reported to be much better. She is still a patient at Albany, N. Y., Medical Center but is in hopes to be home by Christmas.

Miss Dorothy Lovejoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, was in Portland Saturday with a group from Gould Academy to try out for the All State Music Festival in the held spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and Mrs. Richard Walker attended the Christmas Concert at Gould Academy Sunday evening. Miss Dorothy Lovejoy and Miss Diana Walker took part in the concert.

Mrs. Lettie Hall and son-in-law, Robert Parker, of South Portland, were visitors Monday at Lona Gilbert's.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott of South Portland were guests Sunday of Mrs. Mary Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head, Arthur Head and Miss Sheila Gilbert were in Rumford Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Merrill of Weston, Mass., who were staying at a motel in Rumford, over the week end.

The Ladies Chapel Aid Society of West Bethel Union Church met at the home of the pastor, Mrs. Beatrice Burris, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, with 10 present.

MAGALLOWAY

— Mrs. Beaula Harvey, Cor. —

Clinton Bennett of Fort Wayne, Indiana returned there Saturday after a weeks visit at home with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Bennett. She returned with him to spend the winter. He is an electrical engineer and is employed in a large meat packing plant.

143 deer were tagged at the Abbott Brook Restaurant Inspection Center this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Olson and son, Paul, with Mrs. Grace Turner moved to Berlin for the winter. Mrs. Turner tended the gate at the Diamond bridge from the 1st of May until December 5th.

Miss Margo Harvey is employed at the Balsams plaster factory at present.

Mrs. Vesta Bennett is staying with her daughter, Mr. Marjorie Littlehale.

Harold and Grace McIntire closed their summer home Sunday for the winter months.

Mrs. Madeline Mathieson moved from Bangsley recently to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bennett and family spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Bennett.

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sent. The business meeting was followed by a Christmas party with exchange of gifts. Refreshments were served. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ruth Gilbert on Jan. 12 at 8 p. m.

Pleasant Valley Grange convened at the hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 5, with Worthy Master Earle Graves presiding. A supper at 6:30 preceded the meeting with 19 present. Eighteen attended the meeting, 16 members and two visitors. Voted the usual donation to Opportunity Farm. A rising vote of thanks to Master Earle Graves, Overseer Franklin Burris and son, Frankie, and Gatekeeper Harold Fleming for work done in dining hall, where meetings will be held during the winter months. Lecturer Arthur Gilbert presented the

GREENWOOD CITY

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Cor. —

Anna Holt was in Portland on Saturday.

Norton Emmons and daughter, Joy, were callers at Clyde Morgan's, Friday evening.

The Boy Scouts held a skating party on Hicks Pond Sunday afternoon.

Lucy Barrows is in Philadelphia visiting her daughter and family until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan

following program: Discussion on tariffs by members. Christmas party held following the business meeting with exchange of gifts. Next meeting on Jan. 27, 1964. A pot luck supper to precede the meeting.

were Sunday callers at Carroll Nottage's, South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hakala have been with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hakala a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ring of Locke Mills were recent callers at Linnie Cole's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Heath Jr. and family of Norway were at Mr. and Mrs. Toivo Tamlander's on Saturday.

John Curtis, South Paris, was a recent caller at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Curtis.

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Greenwood City School: We were entertained by a School Bus Safety film on Tuesday. It was sponsored by the Mt.

Abram 4-H Club. Several people were ill this week: Esther Polvinen, Stanley Kuvaja, and David Holt. We have started work on our Christmas program. Our gifts for our mothers are completed. We hope they use them wisely. 100% in spelling: Anthony Andrews and David Holt.

Recipe for a Merry Christmas. Take the crisp cold of a December night, add generous parts of snow, stir in air so clear it tingles. Into a generous heart mix the wonder of a little girl, the spark of a young boy's glance, the love of parents and set gently before the chimney side. Add the lightest touch of reindeer's hoofs, a sprig of holly, a scent of fir. Set the mixture to rise in the warmth of a dream of good

will to men. It will be almost ready to serve when it bubbles with warmth and good feelings. Bedeck with light of a star set in the East. Garnish with shining balls of gold, silver, and red. Serve to the time of an ancient carol in the middle of a family table. This recipe is sufficient for all the men and women you will ever meet.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

West Parish
Congregational Church
 Clifford W. Laws, Minister
 Sunday, Dec. 19:
 Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
 Church School, 10:00.
 Pilgrim Fellowship, 4:00. Be-
 cause of the Living Pageant
 program, members of the P. P.
 will hold a short business meet-
 ing in the Chapel at 4 p. m.
 Wednesday, Dec. 22: This is
 the date set for the Annual
 Family Christmas Supper and
 Church School Program. All
 members of the parish are in-
 vited to the supper as families.
 Serving will begin at 6:30.
 Friday, Dec. 24: Members of
 the Pilgrim Fellowship and the
 Methodist Youth Fellowship
 will join together in singing
 Christmas Carols followed by
 a social evening afterwards at
 the Parsonage.

Bethel Methodist Church
 Donald F. Hess, Pastor
 Choir rehearsal every Thurs-
 day at 7 and Sunday mornings
 at 9:45.

Sunday schedule:
 Church School at 9:45 a. m.,
 Morning Worship and nursery
 at 10:30. Junior MYF at 5, no
 Senior MYF.

Sunday, Dec. 19: A hymn
 sing with a Christmas theme,
 7:30 p. m. The offering will be
 used to help pay for new hymn-
 als which have been ordered.

Monday, Dec. 20: The Meth-
 odist Men's organization invites
 the members of the Junior and
 Senior MYF groups to attend
 a supper and program at 6:30
 in the dining room.

Thursday, Dec. 23: Sunday
 School Christmas program at
 7:00 p. m.

Sunday Dec. 26: Student Re-
 cognition Sunday. Matt Brooks
 will deliver the morning mes-
 sage and other students will
 help conduct the service.

Friday, Dec. 31: (New Year's
 Eve): A Watchnight Commu-
 nion Service beginning at 11:30
 p. m. and ending about 12 mid-
 night.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
 Rev. Robert W. Jackson, Pastor
 The Friendly Church with A
 Redeeming Message.

Sunday, Dec. 19:

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Lessons: "Jeremiah: Prophet of
 the New Covenant." (Classes for
 all ages, including adults.)

Morning Hour of Worship,
 11:00 a. m. Christmas Cantata,
 "Jesus Is Born" presented by
 the choir. Sermon: The Father-
 son Gift.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
 The story of the first Christ-
 mas will be presented in the
 color film, "Glory in the High-
 est."

Tuesday, Dec. 21: Ladies

Prayer Circle, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday, Dec. 22: Sunday

School Christmas Program, 7:00

p. m.

Thursday, Dec. 23: Youth

Christmas Caroling from 7-10

p. m.

Episcopal Chapel

Christ the King

Odd Fellows Building, Main

St. Sundays:

Holy Eucharist, 9:45 a. m.

The Church of the Open Bible

Milton Gross, Pastor

At the East Bethel Church

Order of worship:

Sundays:

9:45 a. m. Sunday School for

all ages, even the adults.

11:00 a. m. Morning Service.

7:30 p. m. Evening Service—

a time of worship, gospel sing-
 ing and testimonies.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Bible

Study, Praise and Prayer time

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Everyone is cordially invited

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JUNIOR GIRL SCOUTS

The girls met at the location of the 1st Unit, Mrs. Judy H. Hall, Mrs. Louise Smith, and Betty Hall. The girls made a very good time. The girls made a very good time. The girls made a very good time. 4011

GOULD ACADEMY

The Academic Recognition and Scholarship Committee of the Maine Teachers Association announces that the following Gould Academy students are to be recognized for outstanding performances on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

High honors, English: Susan Brown, Cherie Chayer, Alexis Desroches, Michael Jenkins, Martha Laws, George McKnight, Christine Sanborn, Laura Sawyer.

High honors, Math: Larry Billings, Jack Brooks, Martha Laws, George McKnight, Kenneth Morse, Robert Saunders.

High honors, Total score: Alexis Desroches, Michael Jenkins, George McKnight, Kenneth Morse, Robert Saunders, Laura Sawyer.

Honors, English: Douglas Boynton, Jack Brooks, Robert Saunders.

Honors, Math: Douglas Boynton, Susan Brown, Diane Burdill, Alexis Desroches, Charles Jacobs, Michael Jenkins, John Lombard, Paul Pierce, Christine Sanborn, Laura Sawyer.

Honors, Total Score: Larry Billings, Douglas Boynton, Jack Brooks, Cherie Chayer, Christine Sanborn.

MORRILL TO HELP

PREPARE N. Y. STATE EXAMINATION

Donald Morrill, who teaches carpentry at the Northern Westchester (N. Y.) Technological and Education Center, has been appointed by the Bureau of Trade and Technical Education to serve on a committee to prepare the statewide

CONS. DISTRICT GIVES

MIST-BLOWER TO AG DEPT.

Lerone Damon, South Paris, equipment supervisor for the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District announces the gift of a mistblower to the Vo-Ag Department of Buckfield High School. Mr. Damon pointed out that the District acquired the mistblower only as a service to land-owners in the county, to make one available for their use. The district rented the mistblower for a nominal fee to cover expenses and upkeep and purchase spray materials.

Daniel McAllister, head of the Vo-Ag Department in Buckfield will have charge of the mistblower. The equipment will still be available to landowners who wish to use it for brush-killing or spraying pine for pine weevil control.

Arrangements to hire the mistblower may be addressed to Mr. McAllister at the Buckfield High School.

The Week in Oxford County

The new District Court Building at South Paris has its first tenants, Oxford County Economic Development Commission Director, Sam Michaels, and Asst. Director, Alfred E. Wallen, have an office there.

Hebron Academy was re-accredited by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools Inc. at its annual meeting in Boston, recently.

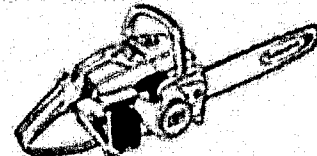
The former Hebron Sanatorium, unused since 1959, has been taken over by the Maine Forestry Department. Gov. Reed and the Executive Council granted the transfer and also approved a provision that the Forest Service will pay the town 25 percent of any revenue it derives from the use, rental or leasing of the land.

Carpentry and building construction examination to be given next July.

Mr. Morrill will attend two meetings in New York City to work with representatives of the State Education Department and other selected teachers from throughout the state. The examinations are given to students who have satisfactorily completed the curriculum in various vocational and technical areas.

Mr. Morrill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Morrill, and his wife is the former Miss Beverly Kneeland, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland.

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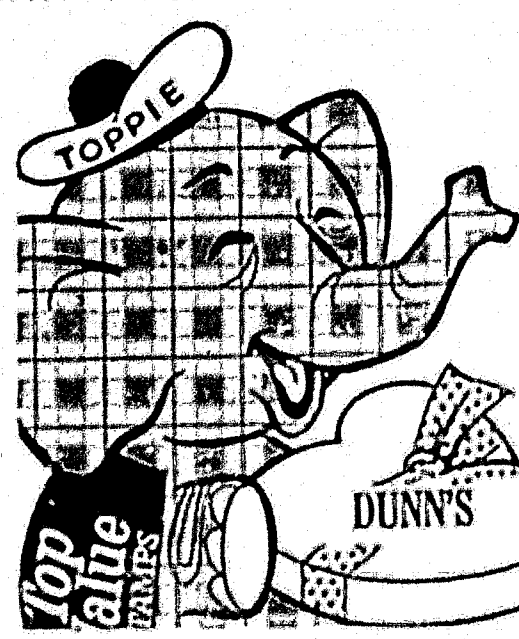
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SONGO POND

—Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Cor.—
Harry Robinson returned home this week from the Veterans Hospital in Togus.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Keniston spent the week end in Waterville with their daughter, Mrs. Carl Meaux, and family.

William Bancroft went to Waterville Wednesday to bring Mrs. Judy Lapham home from Thomas College.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lincoln entertained several of the neighborhood families at a Christmas party Saturday evening. Gifts were exchanged and delicious refreshments of sandwiches, punch and cookies were served.

Duane Cross is improving at the Maine Medical Center after surgery last week.

Sympathy of their neighborhood is extended to Mrs. Don Cross and family on the recent loss of her sister and also her great aunt.

CORKUM SERVING ABOARD USS DAVIS

Engineer Fireman Apprentice Alan D. Corkum, USS, son of Mrs. Mary Corkum of Locke Mills, is serving aboard the destroyer U. S. S. Davis, which was presented the Arleigh Burke Fleet Trophy earlier this month in ceremonies at the Naval Shipyard in Charleston, Mass.

Vice Admiral W. F. A. Wendt, Deputy Commander-in-Chief of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet, presented the trophy. The trophy is awarded annually to one ship or aircraft squadron of each fleet for having achieved the greatest improvement in battle efficiency in the competitive year.

CARD OF THANKS

Didn't know I had so many friends. Thanks for all your cards and messages.
—Joe— Roderick

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five, from day to day from the sixteenth day of said November.

The following matters having been presented for the action thereon by the parties thereto, it is hereby ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published two weeks consecutively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the twenty-first day of December A. D. 1965, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Emma L. Chapman, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for appointment of Mary Ann National Bank as Co-Trustee with Albert J. Stearns under the Will of said deceased for the benefit of Alice M. Stearns et al., without bond being given by either Trustee, presented by Albert J. Stearns, Trustee.

Mary P. Collier, late of Waterville, Maine, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Edward B. Collier, Administrator.

Charles W. White, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Petition for Probate thereof and the appointment of Louis V. Gosselin as Executor of the estate of said White, and bond as required to said Will presented by Louis V. Gosselin, the Executor thereof named.

James I. Chapman, late of Bethel, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Albert J. Stearns as Co-Trustee.

William Robert V. Smith, Judge of said Court at Paris, this sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five.

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NEWRY

—Mrs. Norman Davis, Cor.—
Mrs. Bertha R. Davis returned home Monday from the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Bear River Sunday School will have their Christmas tree and program Sunday at 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Ida Wright. All parents and children are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kid Blair visited relatives in West Warwick, R. I., last week.

Richard Roderick returned home Friday from the CMG Hospital.

HAKALA GRADUATES AIR FORCE SCHOOL

Airmen Third Class Wayne E. Hakala, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Hakala of R. F. D. 2, West Paris, Maine has been graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the training course for U. S. Air Force plumbers.

Airman Hakala, a graduate of West Paris High School, is being reassigned to one of the 250 installations world-wide where Air Force combat and support units are based.

CUB SCOUTS
Den 1 met at Mrs. Walker's house Tuesday at 8:00. We saluted the flag and then we made a present for our mothers. After that we played two games. Then Mrs. Walker played the record player and we passed the gifts around. When she stopped the record if we had our own present we played it again. Mrs. Walker furnished refreshments of cake, cookies, milk and fudge. Then at 4:15 most of us left.—Keeper of the Buckskin, Ronald Jackson.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers, hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are requested to present the same for settlement, and all indebted to them are requested to make payment immediately.

Betty B. Anderson, late of Bethel, deceased; Grant H. Anderson of Bethel, Administrator without bond, November 12, 1965.

Ruth H. Kirk, late of Bethel, deceased; Sally C. Vireel of Brewer, Administratrix with bond, October 12, 1965.

Horace Albert Thibault, late of Bethel, deceased; H. Harold Thibault of Greenwood, Administrator with bond, November 12, 1965.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKeen will be honored on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniversary at an open house held at their home on Rumford Avenue at Bryant Pond, on Friday, Dec. 24, from 4 to 7 p. m. Friends are invited to call.

HARRISON GRANGE HOST TO OXFORD POMONA

Lakeside Grange, Harrison, was host to Oxford Pomona Grange on Dec. 7. The evening meeting was preceded by a supper. The degree work was postponed to a later meeting. Fifty-three attended.

The following program was enjoyed: Welcome by Master of Lakeside Grange, Russell Thayer; Response by Secretary Ellis Davis; Report of the State Grange Session by Delegate Ernest Talbot; Reading by Olive Davis; Songs, Battle Hymn of the Republic and the Old Rugged Cross.

The next Oxford Pomona Grange meeting will be with the Paris Grange, South Paris, on January 4, an evening meeting preceded by a supper.

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WEST PARIS

—Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.—

Awards presented at a recent Boy Scout meeting were as follows: Service stars presented by Assistant Scoutmaster Loring Strout Sr. to Daniel Stevens, Ray Curtis, David Holt, Randy Baker, one-year stars, Brian Chamberlain, Allen Lamb, Peter Marshall, Todd Poland, Marshall Inman, Stephen Morrison, Stephen Hakala, two-year stars, Randall Chase, Edwin Hall, James Lamb, Ronald Lamb, Timmy Poland, Arnold Leach, Adrian McLaughlin, Ricky Bradeen, three-year stars, Phelps Poland, chairman of the Troop Committee, presented Stephen Morrison with his second class badge, who in turn presented his mother with a miniature pin of this rank. Vernon Inman, Institutional representative, and Everett Chase of the Committee, awarded first class badges to Stephen Hakala and Arnold Leach. Mrs. Hakala was presented her miniature pin, Milton E. Inman, Scoutmaster, made merit badge awards as follows: Leather work, Ronald Lamb, Timmy Poland, Adrian McLaughlin, Marshall Inman, James Lamb; Corn farming, Ronald Lamb, Randall Chase, James Lamb; Gardening, Randall Chase, Ronald Lamb; Canning, Edwin Hall, Adrian McLaughlin. Troop 132 was the recipient of a National Summer Camping Award, and this was presented to Phelps Poland, who assisted Ernest Morris with the summer camping trip at McWain Pond, which helped the troop qualify for this award. Herbert Hicks and Ouel Mills were presented patches as they recently joined the committee. Perfect attendance were made by members of the committee. One-year bars were earned: Peter Marshall and Todd Poland. Two-year bars, Marshall Inman, Allen Lamb. Three-year bars, Ronald Lamb, Timmy Poland, Randall Chase, Adrian McLaughlin. Adrian McLaughlin was also presented his four and five year bars for time he was enrolled in another Troop. On Sunday afternoon Troop 132 accompanied by committee members, enjoyed an ice skating party and cook-out at Hicks Pond, Greenwood City.

At the Legion Home Monday night, the Scouts entertained the Scout leaders, committee members and their wives at a surprise Christmas party. Adrian McLaughlin, senior patrol leader, was master of ceremonies. The program consisted of skits, carol singing, games and movies. Sandwiches and beverages made by the Scouts and a beautifully decorated four-tier cake made by Arnold Leach were served by the Scouts. The top layer of the cake decorated with Christmas bells was presented to Scoutmaster Milton Inman. An ice fishing outing was planned for Dec. 18.

Citizens of this town are honored to have received a United States flag which was flown over the Capitol in Washington.

ton, Nov. 18, in memory of Leland M. Corliss, Jr., U. S. Navy, who died five years ago on that day. The flag will be flown on the flag pole at the Legion Memorial School daily, which was presented as a gift in memory of their son by Dr. and Mrs. Leland M. Corliss, of Denver, Colo., and dedicated last Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean, Ray and Ann, and Mrs. Lena Dean, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill and family, Dorchester, Mass.

Mrs. Lisbeth Penley returned from the St. Mary's Hospital, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman, Gary, Gregg, and Geoffrey, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wajda and family, at Newmarket, N. H. On Sunday they visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Pearson, Amesbury, Mass.

Clarence Curtis, Monroe, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Watson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Proctor spent several days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Velma Carpenter and family, South Portland.

The combined Junior and Senior choruses of West Paris and Buckfield high schools and West Paris band directed by Mrs. Edith Eypner will present exchange winter concert. The first concert was held at Buckfield Wednesday, followed by one at West Paris Monday evening. Both concerts will be at 7:30.

The Ring-McKeen A. L. Auxiliary met at the Legion Home, Tuesday evening to make final plans for Christmas activities. Christmas cards were signed to send to servicemen from this area. The annual family Christmas party will be held Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at the Legion Home.

Mrs. Ann Walker is in charge of children's gifts and adults will each bring a gift for exchange. Mrs. Thomasina Poland and Mrs. Patty Thurlow will serve refreshments at the party after a visit from Santa. Mrs. Ruth Reid is the chairman of children, assisted by the Boy Scouts who will deliver the presents. Mrs. Madelyn Herrick, Mrs. Marie Herrick and Mrs. Cleo Byerson is the committee to remember the shut-ins.

The Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes Class will hold its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Bonney, Wednesday at 7 p. m. On Thursday afternoon ladies of the Universalist Church will meet with Mrs. Bonney to prepare baskets for shut-ins.

The annual family Christmas supper and entertainment of the Universalist Church will be held Sunday evening. Supper at 6:30. There will be no regular Sunday School, and children will attend church with their parents at 9 a. m.

SKILLINGTON
Carlton Saunders was taken to the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, on Tuesday.

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Application for a Hotel License to sell Spirituous and Vinous Liquors has been submitted to the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval.

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LOCKE MILLS

—Mrs. Rodney Cross, Jr., Corres.—

Mrs. Nellie Martin returned home Sunday from the CMG Hospital where she had been a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeNormandie and family of Norwood, Mass., spent the week end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett DeNormandie in Greenwood Center.

Mrs. Thuri Hutchins and son, Richard, Athol, Mass., spent last week visiting friends and relatives in town.

Daniel Cole, Greenwood Center, is a patient at the Andrews nursing home in West Paris.

David Coolidge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coolidge, returned home Saturday from the CMG Hospital where he had been a patient.

The Locke Mills Union Church Sunday School will present a Christmas program Sunday, Dec. 19th, at 7:30 p. m.

The Woodstock High School band will be Christmas caroling in town, Dec. 22.

Mrs. Anna Coolidge spent last week end as guest of her son, Robert Coolidge, and family, of South Paris.

The Mt. Abram 4-H Club met Dec. 6 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Cathy Bickford, Locke Mills. At the meeting we got all our papers and the new members got paper folders. We had two new members, Karen Hathaway and Sharon Swan. We are having a skating party Dec. 10 and everybody will be there. We will have a bonfire and Vicky Dunham is going to bring marshmallows to roast. We will have the skating party at 6:30 Friday night at the pond across from Cathy Bickford's. Club Reporter, Janine Merrill.

GILBEAD

—Mrs. E. M. Holder, Cor.—

Mrs. Phyllis W. Sears of Springfield, Mass., was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. Florence Holder, Tuesday, and went to Monmouth Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith returned to their home in Newport, N. H., Sunday.

Harold Black of St. Johnsbury, Vt., was a business visitor at the Brown Farm Tuesday.

Gerard Dupont of Lincoln, N. H., spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamont returned to their home in Portland Sunday after spending their vacation at their camp on the North Road.

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ANDOVER-E. ANDOVER

—Mrs. Violet Swain, Cor.—

Mrs. Mike Clement and John Jodrey were patients at the Rumford Community Hospital this past week.

The Pineland Ski Club held a used clothing and ski equipment sale at the Town Hall on Dec. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donabus, Ann Arbor, Mich., have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hutchins. They planned to visit with friends in Massachusetts on their way to

LOVELL

—Mrs. Holmes Gould, Cor.—

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson and son from South Paris called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Grover on Sunday.

Arthur Andrews from East Stoneham spent several days with his brother, Clinton Andrews, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gard Brown from Bethel called on Mr. and Mrs. Milo McAllister, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ada Plummer has moved back to No. 4 after spending the summer at her cottage on Moose Pond.

The Ladies Circle held their Christmas meeting at the Chapman house on Tuesday afternoon with an exchange of gifts and refreshments.

Be sure to be at the Center next Sunday evening Dec. 19 at 7:00 p. m. for the presentation of "The Black Madonna" by the Youth Fellowship and Choir. Following the Christmas program in the sanctuary, a birthday party for Jesus will be held in the vestry. All youth and families are urged to attend. Bring your "White gifts."

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The pupils in Andover have been given an opportunity to see "The Wizard of Oz" being presented on Sunday at 3 p. m. at the William Bingham Hall in Bethel. This project is being sponsored by the Bethel P. T. A. and presented by the Children's Theatre of Portland.

Robert Swain is expected to arrive at his home in East Andover, from his college studies in Inglewood, Calif., on Thursday. He will fly TWA taking less than six hours to make the trip to Boston. Weather permitting the trip to Maine will be by Northeast Airlines.

Rodney, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Bradford, had the misfortune to fall while skating near his home breaking his right wrist. He entered the Rumford Community Hospital Thursday evening.

Mrs. Theodora Gonya plans to leave soon for Berkeley, California, to reside with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Frederick.

Mrs. David Stillman and two children, Danny and Doreen, left Monday to reside in Bladensburg, Maryland. Mr. Stillman is an A. T. & T. employee transferred from the Andover Station to Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hodsdon have moved from Eustis where they spent the summer to Cent-

ter Lovell. Mr. Hodsdon will be employed at the Bridgton ski area this winter. Jeffrey, their youngest son, will join them as soon as schools close for the holidays. The older Hodsdon children, Brenda and Joel, attend Fryeburg Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Farrington and her two sisters, Mrs. Eugene Hoyt, Rumford Center, and Mrs. Basil Hutchins, East Andover, spent last week end in Grand Falls, N. B., Canada, visiting with their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Leach, and with other relatives.

Schools in town will close Wednesday noon and reopen on Jan. 3.

Forty-five attended the Fellowship supper and hymn sing held at the Calvary Congregational Church in East Andover on Saturday evening.

The Andover Congregational Sunday School will hold their program and tree at the church on Dec. 22 at 7:00 p. m.

CARD OF THANKS

To all the ladies who, one or more times during the past year, have so graciously been greeters and waitresses at our monthly meetings we wish to express our appreciation and sincere thanks. May your Christmas be merry and your New Year a happy one.
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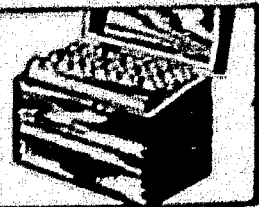
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FROM OUR FILES



10 YEARS AGO

The Spanish War Veterans and Auxiliary held their annual meeting at Hotel Stone, Norway.

The grant of \$25,000 to the Stamford Community Hospital from Ford Foundation was announced.

Donald Almont sponsored a Christmas dance at William Hingham Gymnasium. Supper was served at the Marian Trust for the Students Home.

Death: Mrs. Bertha Wiley Chase.

20 YEARS AGO

The was being harvested from Norway Pond.

Programs for the Village Women were published.

Deaths: Dr. Bertram E. Packard, Simon A. Farr.

30 YEARS AGO

A crew of men from Conway were taking down the Stowell mill at West Bethel.

Death: Mrs. Mary Ann Dear-den.

40 YEARS AGO

Central Maine Power Company tied up with the local electric system.

The Rev. Wilbur Bull preached his first sermon at Hunt's Corner, Dec. 14.

Neighborhood socials were being held weekly in the Middle Intervale, neighborhood.

Death: Mrs. Mary Walsh Grover.



SEN. MUSKIE REPORTS

A recent editorial on air pollution in the Washington Post cites two disturbing developments.

In Rome, the director of parks and gardens reports that auto exhausts are killing that city's picturesque flat-topped trees.

Dr. J. L. Patterson, a nationally known research scientist who has been studying lead poisoning in the air, has returned from a study trip to Antarctica. There he found that ice and snow deposited in recent years show an increasing quantity of lead precipitated from the upper atmosphere. The lead was blown there from populated areas. He believes that leaded automobile gasoline is the source of lead poisoning in the air.

Dr. Patterson earlier found

Some of the shepherds who will be participating in the Living Nativity Scene on the Bethel Common, Sunday (two kneeling, left to right, James Perkins and Stephen Hastings; three standing, left to right, Allan Walker, Philip Rolfe, and John Thurston).

that the average amount of lead in the bloodstreams of city-dwelling Americans has reached half the toxic level.

The car has long been known to be the largest single source of air pollution in our country. The experience in Rome and Dr. Patterson's discoveries give an alarming dimension to the problem.

My Clean Air Act of 1963 gives us a start toward controlling air pollution from cars. The bill calls for tailpipe devices which will be required on all new cars starting with the 1968 models. More legislation may be required.

Dr. Patterson's findings in the area of leaded gasoline have been questioned in some

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HENLEY HONORED AT TESTIMONIAL DINNER

A testimonial dinner was given last night at the South Paris Congregational Church honoring Lt. Col. Lowell D. Henley, Rt. AUS., for his many years of faithful service in the Civil Defense and Public Safety organizations of Oxford County and the Town of Norway.

Members of his staff and town directors of Oxford County, and adjoining county directors were in attendance, as well as officials and friends from the County Offices and the command and staff contingent from State Control Center at Augusta.

Col. Henley has been with Civil Defense since January 1950. In these fifteen years he has served as Norway's first C. D. Director, 52-53, then on the County staff as Deputy Director, '54, then as assistant director from 1954 to 1962, when he was appointed County Director, which office he has held with outstanding efficiency until his retirement this coming December 31.

Director Henley during his term of office organized the 35 towns of Oxford County into six Administrative Districts for better emergency and training control. He prepared and wrote the County Civil Defense Emergency Operational Plan with its many detailed annexes for use in a declared emergency. During his term in office, the control center in the County Building has been enlarged and the communications center improved.

Col. Henley served in the U. S. Marine Corps just after World War I, then in the National Guard during the 1930's, in Federal service from 1941 to 1945 as an Infantry Company Commander, then in the U. S. Air Force and was separated from active service as a Major and served in the active



Col. Lowell D. Henley.

reserve until his retirement as a Lt. Colonel in 1963.

He and his wife, Alice, live in their home at Norway Lake. He has three children, two by a former marriage; he is a member and past commander of Stone-Start, American Legion Post of Norway, and is a member of the Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club.

Honors and citations for outstanding service to the Civil Defense program were awarded to the following: Maj. Albert Thompson AUS Ret., assistant director, County of Oxford; Capt. Benjamin Twitchell USA R, Operations and Training Officer, County of Oxford; Lawrence R. Cushman, Chief of Fire Services, County of Oxford; Albert Carey, Director, Town of South Paris; Everett Harnden, Director, Town of Dixfield; Gordon C. West, Director, Town of Porter.

Col. Henley received a citation of commendation from the U. S. Government, a citation and decoration for outstanding and faithful service from the State of Maine, and a letter from the Board of Commissioners of Oxford County, in appreciation and thanks for his work in the field of Civil Defense.

P. T. A. ENTERTAINED — DISCUSS SKATING RINK AT TUESDAY MEETING

Members of the Bethel Parent-Teacher Association were entertained Tuesday evening at the Crescent Park School by the pupils of the 2nd, 5th, 6th, and 7th grades under the direction of Mrs. Edith Byrper. A program of Christmas music was enjoyed.

Discussion on the possibility of a skating rink on the common followed and it is hoped that all organizations in town will back this project.

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JR. AND SR. SUNDAY RIVER SKI CLUB MEETING

Plans for the coming ski season will be formulated at a baked bean supper and meet to be held at Sunday River Skiway, Friday night at 6:30.

Both Junior and Senior Ski Clubs will discuss races, both club and sanctioned meets, and what both clubs can do to promote junior programs.

All juniors who are members of USEASA are asked to bring papers as a reply must be their paper as a reply must be made to Eastern on memberships. Everyone interested in promoting skiing is cordially invited.

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GIRL SCOUTS

Cadet Troop 676: We opened our meeting with the flag ceremony. We sent the box of toys to Pineland Hospital. We also chose committees for decorating and refreshments for our party this Saturday, the 18th.—Secretary, Brenda Tibbells.

CUB SCOUTS

Den Two: We met at Mrs. Parker's. We made more Christmas Decorations and Christmas Gifts. We will finish and wrap them next week. We talked about safety rules to follow when sliding and walking or skating on ice.—Keeper of the Buckskin, Jimmy Osgood.

BROWNIES

Brownie Troop 675 (second grades) were invested at a ceremony pertaining to the "Brownie story" at their meeting on Thursday, Dec. 9. Refreshments were served presiding the ceremony by Susan MacKay and Kelly Houlihan. Mrs. Robert Keniston invested the following girls assisted by leaders, Mrs. Albert Buck and Mrs. Bud Jenkins: Mary Ellen Chapman, Debra Westleigh, Kelly Houlihan, Susan MacKay, Ruth Jenkins, Barbara York, Melinda York, Kathy Deegan, Pam Coolidge, Debra Buck, Marilyn Clark, Donna Brooks, Marjorie Berry, Donna Mason, Terry Mason, Debbie Mundt, Judy Wheeler, Becky Cobb, Judy Stowell, Suzanne Royer.

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ELBERT R. BRIGGS

Elbert R. Briggs of West Bethel died unexpectedly Saturday, Dec. 11, while visiting at the home of Wayne Ellingwood in South Paris.

He was born at West Bethel, April 29, 1888, son of Edwin and Elvira Dow Briggs. After attending West Bethel schools, he was employed for many years as a painter and paper hanger. He had also resided in the Norway-South Paris area.

He is survived by a brother, Elmer Briggs, South Paris; three nieces, Mrs. Cora Twitchell, South Paris, Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Albany, and Miss Mildred Briggs, Manchester, N. H.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from 21 Main Street, South Paris, the Rev. Herbert A. Stevens, pastor of the United Parish of Waterford, officiating. Interment was in the Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel.

BORN

In Rumford, Nov. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bennett of Wilson's Mills, a son.

In Stewartstown, N. H., Nov. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Sweet Sr., of Wilson's Mills, a daughter.

DIED

In South Paris, Dec. 11, Elbert R. Briggs, of West Bethel, aged 77 years.

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